wood/timber plantations to afforestation of denuded forests in line with the national priorities.

(c) The Government are aware of the adverse effects of monoculture practices and introduction of certain exotic species.

(d) There is no such proposal.

Compensation for Indians Dying in the Gulf Countries

1275. SHRI M. KADHARSHA: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have taken steps to get compensation for the death of Indians in the Gulf countries during the last three years;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof and if not, what are the reasons therefor; and

(c) the amount already got remitted to the relations of the deceased during the last three years and the compensation got settled till day?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI K. R. NARAYANAN): (a) The Government of India through their Missions in the concerned country have taken up with the concerned Governments and employers, the question of death compensation payable to the legal heirs of deceased Indians under contractual terms of employment or under relevant local laws.

(b) The death compensation is payable to the legal heirs of the deceased. For this, the legal heirs have to obtain from the competent judicial authorities a succession certificate which has to be sent to the foreign employer/Government, as the case may be, for claiming death compensation. The amount is remitted to the legal heirs.

(c) The information is being collected from the Missions abroad and will be placed on the Table of the House as soon as possible.

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PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

MR. CHAIRMAN: Now, we will take up Papers to be Laid on the Table.

Notification of Delhi Administration Publishing The Delhi Police (Promotion and Confirmation) (Amendment) Rules, 1985

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. B. CHAVAN): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table, under sub-section (2) of section 148 of the Delhi Police Act, 1978, a copy (in English and Hindi) of the Delhi Administration Notification No. F. 10/10/84-Home(P)/Estt., dated the 6th November, 1985, publishing the Delhi Police (Promotion and Confirmation) (Amendment) Rules, 1985. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-2131/86]

Annual Plan, 1985-86

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRI AJIT PANJA): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table a copy (in English and Hindi) of the document entitled "Annual Plan, 1985-86". [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-2133/86].

I. Notification of Ministry of Defence Publishing National Cadet Corps (Fifth Amendment) Rules, 1985

II. Notification Publishing National Cadet Corps (Girls Division) (Third Amendment) Rules, 1985

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARUN SINGH): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Defence, under section 13 of the National Cadet Corps Act, 1948:—

(i) S.R.O. No. 18(E), dated the 27th December, 1985, publishing the National Cadet Corps (Fifth Amendment) Rules, 1985.

(ii) S.R.O. No. 19(E), dated the 27th December, 1985, publishing the National Cadet Corps (Girls Division) (Third Amendment) Rules, 1985. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-2203/86 for (i) and (ii)].

I. Notification Publishing the Grant of Leave to Members of Cantonment Board Rules, 1985

II. Notification Publishing the Territorial Army (Amendment) Rules, 1986

SHRI ARUN SINGH: Sir, I also beg to lay on the Table:—

I. A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Defence Notification S.R.O. No. 286, dated the 4th January, 1986, publishing the Grant of Leave to Members of Cantonment Board Rules, 1985, under sub-section (3) of section 281 of the Cantonment Act, 1924. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-2135/86].

II. A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministy of Defence Notification S.R.O. No. 65 dated the 15th February, 1986, publishing the Territorial Army (Amendment) Rules, 1986, under sub-section (3) of Section 14 of the Territorial Army Act, 1948. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT- 2134/86].

Notifications of Ministry of Finance Under the Central Excise and Salt Act, 1944

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARI): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table:—

I. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministy of Finance (Department of Revenue) under sub-section (2) of section 38 of the Central Excises and Salt Act, 1944, together with Explanaory Memoranda on he Noifications:—

(i) G.S.R. No. 109(E), dated the 10th February, 1986, publishing the Central Excise (Second Amendment) Rules, 1986.

(ii) G.S.R. No. 183(E), dated the 10th February, 1986, publishing the Central Excise (Third Amendment) Rules, 1986].

(iii) G.S.R. No. 187(E), dated the 10th February, 1986, publishing the Central Excise (Fourth *Amendment) Rules, 1986. [Placed* in Library. *See* No. LT-2179/86 for (i) to (iii)].

II. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue), together with Explanatory Memoranda thereon:

(i) G.S.R. Nos. 110(E) to 119)E), dated the 10th February, 1986, seeking to amend certain provisions of the Central Excise Rules, 1944, and certain Notifications issued under these rules, which refer to the Central Excises and Salt Act, 1944, and the First Schedule thereto, so as to align these Notifications with the new Tariff Act and the Schedule thereto.

(ii) G.S.R. Nos. 120(E) to 176(E), dated the 10th February, 1986, issued in replacement of, or, amendment to certain existing Notifications, so as to bring them in line with the various headings or sub-headings of the new Tariff.

(iii) G.S.R. No. 177(E), dated the 10th February, 1986, rescinding 181 existing Central Excise Notifications.